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Applicant:	Raul-Adrian Cernea		
Title:	Background Operation for Memory Cells		
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a one-month extension of time within which to respond to the May 6, 2004 outstanding Office Action, such extension allowing the undersigned until September 7, 2004 to respond (September 6, 2004 is a National Holiday). A check is enclosed that includes the amount of $110.00, as set forth in the enclosed transmittal letter.

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